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Sir:

A New Utility Patent Application was filed in the referenced application on March 24, 2004. Since more than six months have elapsed since that date, and no response to said New Utility Patent Application has been received by attorney for applicant, Applicant respectfully requests that the undersigned attorney be informed of the status of the referenced application.

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